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<b>APPLICANTS</b> Stanley R. Mandel, Chapel Hill, NC; James R. Whitney, Morrisville, NC;				
<b>** CONTINUING DATA *****</b>				
<b>** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****</b>				
<b>IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED</b> <b>** 07/19/2001</b>				
Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance Verified and Acknowledged <u>WJH</u> Examiner's Signature Initials		<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> NC	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> 4	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> 27
<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> 7				
<b>ADDRESS</b> Michael G. Savage BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P. P.O. Box 1404 Alexandria, VA 22313-1404				
<b>TITLE</b> Surface treated ligating clip				
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